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Winter Arrangements for New York.

THE new and substantial steamship *Governor*, Capt. Brown, will run regularly during the winter between Fall River and New York, via Newport; leaving Fall River every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday on the arrival of the steamboat train from Boston, about 7 o'clock, and Newport about 8. Leaving New York every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

For further particulars enquire of ANTHONY STEWART, 71 Thames-st.

Hosiery.

REAL nice Winter Hosiery for Ladies—all colors. Men's nice yarn knit Hose and half-doz., for sale cheaply WM. C. COZZENS & CO., no 16.

R. K. & J. R. Randolph, ATTORNEYS and Counsellors at Law. John R. Randolph Public Notary, authorized to take acknowledgements of deeds and other instruments, and marries and other protests, depositions, &c. Office, second story south wing of the Rhode Island Union Bank, Newport, R. I.

Sept. 11 6

CHARLES D. WEEDEN, INSTRUCTOR ON THE PIANO FORTE, And Dealer in Music & Musical Instruments, No. 128 Thames Street, Newport, R. I. Residence corner of Spring and Young streets.

RUSSELL'S premium Toilet Soaps and Perfumery, at R. R. HAZARD'S, Sign of the mortar near the Court House.

Oils. Sperm and Whale, Bleached and Unbleached, Winter and Fall, in bls, tierces, and bls. Corn, Flour, Molasses, &c., for sale by Oct 20-31 JOSHUA SAYER.

YORK RIVER OYSTERS. 40,000 York River Oysters, the best that has been in market this season. They will be sold by the bushel, hundred or dozen, in the shell, or 30 cents per quart, opened. Warren's first-rate, or no sale. GEO. GRANDALL.

jan 13 Cor. Thames-st. and Market Square 20 BRLS. Sp. Turpentine, 100 gal. Linseed Oil, in pipes and bls., for sale by Oct 20-31 JOSHUA SAYER.

CROWN Ale and Newark Cider, just received and for sale by the barrel at RIDER'S, 97 Thames-st.

Groceries

LANDING from Sloop Rienzi: 110 chests and half-chests Tea, of every description and price.

60 boxes brown and white Havana Sugar, 50 bags Rice and Java Coffee.

40 bls. and boxes loaf and crushed Sugar, 200 bls. extra canal Flour.

40 boxes ground Spices and Mustard, Hams, Cheese, Lard, &c. &c.

Together with a large assortment of goods in store, is offered at low prices, by Sept 29 E. F. & J. R. NEWTON No 72 Thames St. Corner of Pelham.

LEMON SYRUP of the best quality, at R. R. HAZARD'S, Aug. 5 Near the Court House.

Boots and Shoes.

T. MUMFORD SEABURY would call the attention of the public to his stock of Summer Goods, the richest he has ever offered, comprising EVERY DESCRIPTION OF BOOTS and SHOES, which he will sell as CHEAP as they can be bought at any other store.

Ladies and children's Gaiter Boots and Shoes of every description and of the best material, made to order and warranted to fit.

No. 110 Thames, corner of Church-street, N. B. Repairing done at short notice.

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1848.

SUNDAY.

MONDAY.

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THURSDAY.

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THE DAILY NEWS.

Newport:

SATURDAY MARCH 4, 1848.

BY O. F. JACKSON, 97-THAMES ST.
Advertisers will please bear in mind that the circulation of the DAILY NEWS is more than DOUBLE that of the Daily Herald, and greater than the combined circulation of the Daily and Weekly Herald. As one proof of this fact, the list of Letters remaining in the Post-Office is advertised in the NEWS, AS BY LAW REQUIRED.

[Correspondence of the News.]

New York, March 2d, 1848.

Mr. EDITOR:

I wish I possessed the ability of rivalry portraying some of the funny scenes that are daily being enacted in this dear city.— Scarcely a week elapses but we hear of a delightfully romantic elopement, the parties being generally the residents of some one of the fashionable squares at the West End. One of the fair *Prima Donnas* of the Opera has just been united in nuptials to a young son of Col. Thorn. He is said to possess a most generous heart, but is generally known as a 'gay young man about town.' So we shall no longer be charmed with her sweet warblings, as the light 'bird of song' has probably forever flown. Speaking of the Opera, reminds me that a grand Fancy Ball is to come off at the Astor Opera House, on the 6th of March. The sole proceeds are to be applied to the funds of the same; hoping thus to somewhat augment the rapidly decreasing treasury. Alas! I fear ours is too cold a climate, and are by far too utilitarian in our views, for the Opera ever to be a permanent Institution with us. That Music does refine a people, none will deny, and I shall much regret if proper patronage is withheld and the talented corps are compelled to again seek their Italian shores. The Hutchinsons are to give another series of their popular Concerts here next week. The public supposed they had retired forever to their early homes, having made quite a fortune by their simple but touching ballads. Yet, it seems the bleak hills of their native New Hampshire was for them no longer their accustomed charm, and they are again with us to be again puffed, and applauded. The patrons of the Broadway are really enjoying a rich dramatic treat, in the representation of a play called 'Old Heads and Young Hearts.' It has been played quite a number of consecutive nights to very large and fashionable audiences. It is certainly splendidly put upon the stage; hundreds of dollars having been expended on Scene Carpets, Furniture, Upholsters, &c. The favorite American actress Miss Julia Dean soon makes her debut there as *Julia*, in Kiroles play of the 'Hunchback.'

Yours &c. ARTHUR.

GREAT AND DESTRUCTIVE FLOOD.—The Winooski Tides gives the following account of the flood at Massillon.

Feb. 23.—At three o'clock this morning a artificial lake or reservoir several miles in extent, and situated on Sippocreek, 90 feet higher than the town and about a mile and a half East, was let out, and the flood current swept over everything in its course towards the low grounds. The brick woolen factory of Messrs. Skinner & Co., was swept down, and the building and machinery are a pile of ruins. The Tremont House, newly erected on Tremont street, is nearly a wreck. The large, stone block, built by Mr. Rhodes, is partly thrown down into the canal. The mill and ware houses on Erie street, were badly damaged. Some dwellings were swept away, and one sun house and other buildings that cannot be recollect in the bustle that prevails. All the streets in the lower part of the town are inundated, and the damage is beyond calculation. Great excitement prevails and it is feared lives have been lost. The canal bank is broken in for some distance, and the cost to the State will be thousands. The waters are subsiding.— This reservoir was built by the Massillon Rolling Mill Company, the State paying \$5000 towards its construction. There have been heavy complaints made, by the people in the neighborhood and at Canton, that the reservoir was a source of annoyance and sickness, and although our correspondent does not say so, we presume the damage was done intentionally.

Mr. Perry has applied to be relieved from command of the gilt squadron, on account of ill health.

EXCITING CASE AT TAUNTON.—A few days since, C. Richmond, Esq., of Taunton, was arrested and held to bail in the sum of \$5000, (on a complaint preferred by Charles A Zundt) for attempting to procure the murder of Galen Hicks, also, of Taunton; and for forging the name of said Hicks to two notes of hand. The atrocity of the charges naturally created a strong sensation among the citizens of Taunton, where Mr. Richmond has resided from his boyhood, and is universally respected as an honorable and upright man. The marks of his enterprise are visible throughout the town, and probably no one man has contributed in a greater degree to its welfare. Previous to 1837, he was very extensively engaged in manufacturing, under the firm of Crocker & Richmond—but the revulsions of that period were felt by him as well others, and since that time he has conducted business on a limited scale. Recently he has been engaged in the manufacture of cotton goods. In December last, Mr. Richmond failed in business—and it is said that Mr. Hicks is involved thereby (as endorser for Mr. R.) to an amount exceeding \$100,000. Mr. Hicks alleges that some of the endorsements were forged and a man named Charles Makepeace, who formerly was in the employ of Mr. Hicks, comes forward and says that in Oct. 1846, Mr. Richmond gave to him (Makepeace) a vial containing Croton oil, and offered him a large sum of money if he would administer it to Mr. Hicks; and that about one year afterwards, Mr. Richmond gave him a vial of prussic acid, and then offered him several thousand dollars if he would administer a few drops to Mr. Hicks. Makepeace kept this attempt at bribery a secret until after Mr. Richmond failed, last December, and until in some business transactions with Mr. Richmond, he considered that he had not been dealt with justly. The examination of the charge of attempting to procure the murder of Mr. Hicks, took place in the court house at Taunton, yesterday, before the Hon. Oliver Prescott, of New Bedford. The court room was crowded to excess; the whole town seemed to partake in the interest of the case. Charles Makepeace, the person whom it was alleged Mr. Richmond attempted to bribe to commit the murder, was the only witness examined. He was on the stand three hours, and his testimony was such a mass of contradiction and equivocation, that it was deemed advisable to proceed no further. The commonwealth accordingly entered a *nolle prosequi* on all the complaints against Mr. Richmond, who was discharged, amid the general rejoicings of the assemblage.—*Boston Bee*, Feb. 26.

THE UNION MAGAZINE.—The Union Magazine for March is before us. The engravings are "Steps to Ruin," "Pardon," and several on wood are well executed. The literary articles are creditable to the Magazine, and, as a general thing, are well written. We wish that the Publishers of all the Magazines could afford to employ more of our eminent authors to contribute to their pages; but, of course they cannot do this, unless they are more liberally patronised by the public. The price of the Magazine is but three dollars a year, and it forms a volume well worth the price.

THE UNION MAGAZINE.—The constitution has been in operation from the 3d of March, 1799, being a period of 59 years; in the course of which we have had eleven presidents. Of these, eight have sunk into the tomb; and only one of them leaves a son behind him.— The last three presidents survive, viz: Mr. Van Buren, Mr. Tyler, and the acting president, Mr. Polk. These fill up a period of eleven years, commencing with Mr. Van Buren, who ascended the chair on the 4th of March, 1837.

A SNOW STORM.—A snow storm commenced on Thursday evening at about half past 8 o'clock, and continued up to 9 o'clock yesterday morning, after which time the snow was about four inches deep. It fell very moderately, and lay very even, and would have made delightful sleighing had the weather been a little colder. Much of it melted yesterday.

THE LEGISLATURE OF NEW YORK.—The Legislature of New York invited Mr. Clay to pronounce a Eulogy on Mr. Adams. But he declined on account of a pressure of other duties. They afterwards invited Gov. Seward, and he has accepted. The eulogy will be delivered on the 2d of this month.

REV. HENRY GILES.—Rev. Henry Giles is delivering lectures in Providence.

THIRTYTHREE CONGRESS—FIRST SESSION.

SENATE.—March 1.—Mr. Houston presented the resolutions of the Legislature of the State of Texas, protesting against the relinquishment of territory conquered from Mexico, and against the application of the Wilmot Proviso to the territory acquired.

After an executive session of two hours the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—The first business in order was the question on Mr. Johnson's motion, to amend by giving the examiners of patents fifteen hundred dollars instead of twenty five hundred salary. The question was taken by yeas and nays, and decided in the negative. Yeas 79. Nays 106.

House resolved itself into committee of the Whole on the state of the Union on the Deficiency Bill. Adjourned.

SENATE.—Mar. 2.—Mr. Webster presented a petition for specific duty on fish.

A resolution was adopted to send the standard weights and measures to the French government by Mr. Vultenors.

The House amendments to the bill making attachments in the United States Courts conform to the State Courts, were concurred in.

A committee of conference was recommended on the Paul Jones relief bill.

Senate went into Executive session.

House The Speaker was authorised to fill the vacancy on the Library committee occasioned by the death of Mr. Adams.

A debate took place upon the delay in the public printing.

DR. PATRICK MURPHY.—Dr. Patrick Murphy died in New York on Tuesday, from the effects of chloroform administered for the purpose of performing a surgical operation. We believe this to be a dangerous drug, and great precaution should be taken in administering it.

THE RAILWAY COMPANIES.—The several railway companies between Albany and Buffalo, at a meeting held a few days ago, adopted a resolution to discontinue the running of the cars on Sunday, if the Postmaster General will assent thereto.

FUNERAL OF MAJOR VINTON.—The body of the late Major Vinton has been temporarily deposited in a vault in Greenwood Cemetery. The public funeral will take place in the latter part of April.

SEVERAL APPLICATIONS.—Several applications have been made for our donation of three dollars, but in every case the applicant has failed to prove that he needed it more than we do; this need not discourage others, though.

A SALUTE.—A salute of twenty-one guns was fired from on board the Revenue Schooner Jackson, Capt. Waldron, at 12 o'clock at noon yesterday, in memory of John Quincy Adams.

DR. JOHN HAWKINS.—Dr. John Hawkins, the celebrated Temperance lecturer, delivered an address at the Methodist Church, in this town, last Thursday evening.

DR. COULES.—Dr. Coules delivers his address on the Life and Character of the late John Quincy Adams, at the North Baptist church to-morrow evening.

THE BAY STATE.—The Bay State did not arrive here until four o'clock yesterday afternoon, on account of the storm. She lay at anchor at Hart Island during the night.

STILL THEY COME.—We acknowledge the receipt of a very pretty *Rug*, manufactured by the Dorcas Society, from our friend Wm. Newton, Esq.

OUR DOWNTOWN CARRIER.—Our down-town carrier was on the sick list yesterday, and the consequence was that several of our patrons in that part of the town did not get their paper.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.—By the act of Congress 1845, the next Presidential election will be held in every State on the same day, the 7th of November.

THE OPERATIVES.—Most of the operatives who lately turned out on account of a reduction of wages, at Fall River, have again gone to work at the reduced prices.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH.—St. George's Church, Liverpool, is built of cast iron. It is 113 feet in length and 47 feet in breadth.

DURING THE LAST FOUR WEEKS.—During the last four weeks 3517 immigrants arrived at New York.

STEAMERS.—Steamers are now running between New York and Hudson.

THE STEAMBOATS.—The steamboats now run up the North river, as far as Hudson.

O WHAT A SOFT-SEAT.—O what a soft-seat, 'as the hat said when placed on the dandy's head.

A DOUBLE SHEEP.—The news item in the N. Y. Tribune, tells of having seen a lamb that had three ears, one of which was exactly on the top of its head—four fore and four hind legs—one body above the loins, and two distinct bodies below that—two tails—two fair, well-formed breasts on each side, and its color was white, with one mouth, nose, &c. This was certainly a great curiosity—and a very wonderful story.

ON THE PROGRESS OF SCIENCE.—One of the most important effects of the recent progress of Science is the alliance of Chemistry with Physiology. By which a new and unexpected light has been thrown upon the vital processes of animals. For this we are indebted chiefly to the German and French chemists. We have now a clear understanding of the different action of aliments, poisons, and remedial agents, and the long derided theory of the blood being the portion of the system upon which the latter should act, is now a demonstrated truth.—The great object, therefore, is to ascertain what remedy will act most directly upon the constituents of the blood when in the act of combination. Experience, observation, and a cloud of witnesses, establish the fact that SAND'S SARSAPARILLA, LA, is at the very head of this class. Cancer, scrofula, salt rheum, erysipelas, leprosy, ringworm, mercurial diseases, suppuration of the glands, swellings of the joints, and all the diseases of the muscles and tissues, together with general debility of the system, yield to this unflinching purifier of the blood—for the blood is the channel through which disease finds its way to the various organs of the body.

Prepared and sold by A. B. & D. SANDS, Druggists, 109 Fulton st. N. Y.

Sold also by Dr. R. R. Hazard and R. J. Taylor, for Newport, by J. Russell, Fall River, by C. Dyer, For sale by R. J. TAYLOR.

Caution.—The public are particularly cautioned against being imposed upon by persons that are selling preparations of Sarsaparilla which they pretend have the same qualities as Brown's Sarsaparilla and Tomato Bitters. Since these Bitters have been offered to the public, there have been no less than four different imitations got up by as many different individuals, and sold for the genuine. The good qualities of Brown's Extract of Sarsaparilla and Tomatoes, or Sarsaparilla and Tomato Bitters, is already known and appreciated by physicians and the public—particularly by those who have used them for impurities of the blood, bad humors, Scrofulous diseases, Bilious affections, Costiveness, loss of appetite, &c. There has been no medicine sold that has given such general satisfaction. There cannot be the least doubt but this compound is the best alternative we now in use. We have abundance of proof of that fact. There have been thousands of cases of impurities of the blood cured by this medicine. Some of them have been truly wonderful, where the patients have been given over as incurable. The above compound is not merely a common extract of Sarsaparilla, but a very strong extract of the best Spanish Sarsaparilla, extracted by an entirely new apparatus, made expressly for the proprietor, and used by no other person in this country. This apparatus ensures the whole medical qualities of this most valuable root.

UNITED STATES HOTEL.

On Pearl, Fulton and Water Streets, New York.

BY H. JOHNSON.

THIS is one of the largest and best kept Hotels in the city of New York. Board \$1.50 per day. Its location is particularly convenient for business men, and Mr. Johnson, the popular and gentlemanly landlord, makes the comfort of his guests a constant study.

May 3

MARINE LIST—PORT OF NEWPORT.

Arrived, March 3.

Sch Gen Scott, Bowker, in Port Warsaw fr. Dighton.

Lost small anchor, chain, boat, cabs, and experienced other damages while laying at anchor under Point Judith shore, on Thursday night.

Sch Time, Edward, in Suffolk fr. Providence, with wood. Lost large anchor and chain in same place.

House to Let.

A Two Story dwelling house, corner of High and Sherman Street, in good order and very convenient for either one or two families, with a good well of excellent water, a large rain water cistern, vegetable garden and convenience for the accommodation of Boarding. For further particulars apply at Mr. Edmund Smith's, next door east. March 4

A WORD TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT.

A Penny saved is a penny earned. So said the Philosopher, Dr. Franklin.

In order to keep pace with the age, it is necessary for every man to take a Newspaper; save your money then and procure them at Goff's News Depot, by so doing you can get New York daily paper for two dollars and seventy-eight cents cheaper than through the post office, and generally with more dispatch. We receive them every morning by express.

New Books received by every steamer, &c. &c.

March 3.

MUTUAL BENEFIT LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

FEBRUARY REPORT.

THIS Company issued during the month of February 1848, 181 new policies, viz:

MERCHANTS & TRADERS 61 Son Capts & MARINERS 2

Clerks 23 Parcers 2

Manufacturers 8 Lawyers 2

Mechanics 20 Bankers 2

Clergymen 3 U. S. Officers 2

Physicians 4 Cashier of Bank 1

Ladies 9 Other occupations 5

Agents 9 Engineers 4

Hotel keepers 5

New policies issued in December 165

I. O. of O. F.

A Special Meeting of PALESTINE ENCAMPMENT will be held at Ocean Hall, on Friday Evening, March 3d, 1848, immediately after the close of Ocean Lodge. By order of C. P. Augustus Gorri, Scriber.

1-3d

Tenements to Let.

A House and Garden in Howard Street, now

occupied by Silas Sison. Possessions given on the 1st of April.

Also a small tenement in house No. 99, Thames Street. Apply to J. CROOKER. 1-3d

Feb. 23

22 Broad Street.

Published in the DAILY NEWS by authority.

LIST OF LETTERS.

REMAINING in the Post Office, for delivery at Newport, R. I. February 29, 1848.

Enquiring for these, please say 'Advertised.'

Kettle Thomas

Lake John L.

Lee Mrs Thomas

Lawson Mrs Mike B.

Lawton Mrs Louisa B.</

PICKED up near Rose Island, on the 12th inst., a narrow lapped cedar boat, about 12 feet keel; the owner can have her by proving property and paying charges. Apply to W. H. READ, Keeper of the Newport Asylum.

Newport Asylum, Feb. 23. 3w.

600 BUSHELS Northern Corn, 100 bushels per cwt, first quality, in store and for sale by NATHAN STANTON, Market Square.

25 BUSHELS, and 13 tierces of first quality retail Molasses, cargo seler. Geo. Engs, for sale on liberal terms. NATHAN STANTON, Market Square.

10 BUSHELS, and 5 tierces Molasses, cargo of brig Agaman's cargo, in store and for sale by NATHAN STANTON, Market Square.

650 BUSHELS Oats, in store and for sale by NATHAN STANTON, Market Square.

1000 BUSHELS, an autobiography. Another supply of the above popular work, just received at Golfs, everybody should purchase a copy, it is decidedly the richest intellectual treat that has been published for many years, only 25 cents per copy.

50 BUSHELS R. L. Greening Apples in good order, for sale at RIDER'S, 97 Thames Street.

Feb 17

For Coughs and Colds

CUM Arabic drops, Marsh Mallow drops, Jujube

Paste, Licorice Paste, at

Now 37 R. J. TAYLOR'S.

D. R. J. S. WOOD'S Sarsaparilla Elixir, recommended by eminent Physicians, warranted superior to any other preparation, compound or extract of Sarsaparilla ever offered to the American people. For sale by C. G. C. HAZARD, Jane 13.

CORN AND RYE.

NOW landing from Sloop Old Fellow at Stevens' wharf.

1000 Bus lbs Long Island Corn.

300 " Extra quality Rye.

Also 1000 lbs. Fresh Beef.

On hand in store, 100 Bushels Rhode Island Corn Meal. The above will be sold low for cash.

BARBER & BOONE,

Feb 14 No 3, South Side of Market Square.

Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co.

(Office No 21 Wall-st., N. Y.)

STATEMENT of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company, on the 1st day of Jan. 1848:

Policies in force on the 1st of January, 1847.

1817. Policies cancelled and expired during the year, 293—2,429

Policies issued during the year 1847, 1,847

Policies cancelled and expired, 119—1,728

Total policies in force Jan. 1, '48 4,157

Balance as per statement Jan. 1, '47, \$198,724.51

Net premiums received during the year \$297,322.65

Interest received 11,601.06

Total net receipts for '47 \$308,923.71

Losses paid during the year \$21,105.09

Expenses 12,228.40—63,333.40—245,590.31

Net proceeds \$14,314.82

Additional losses amounting to \$19,000, unpaid on the 1st of January, awaiting proofs of death—part of the amount has since been paid.

ASSETS.

Cash on hand \$ 8,951.45

U. S. 5 per cent. bonds, 1856 and 1862 20,000.00

Newark City Bonds 3,700.00

Brooklyn " 15,000.00

Bonds and mortgages on property worth double the amount loaned 55,161.50

Real estate in Newark 6,914.50—108,723.55

Premium notes drawing 6 per cent. 309,916.41

Loans on scrip of the Company 160.38

Premium notes and cash in hands of agents in course of transmission 25,480.58

Total assets \$144,314.82

Upon 2,429 policies now in force, issued prior to January, 1847, the Directors have declared a dividend of 35 per cent, being the profits of the second year's business, (1846)

Amount of premiums \$207,519.93

Losses paid during the year 1846 33,648.03

Expenses do do 14,788.80

RESERVE FUND.

Losses which might have been expected during the year according to table \$99,000.00

Losses paid as above 33,648.00

Total \$65,853.01

Reinsurance of 2,429 persons 1 year older 8,750.00—71,103.09

Dividends of profit 35 per cent 74,632.40

Reserved fund on Jan 1 1847 \$23,252.63

do do 71,103.09

Total of reserved fund Jan 1 1848 \$94,360.63

ROBERT L. PATTERSON, Pres.

BENJ. C. MILLEN, Sec.

MILTON HALL, Agent.

Charles Cotton, M. D., Medical examiner.

January 29 17

A few more left of the same sort. Beautiful Valentines, selling off very cheap. Ladies and Gents are reminded that it is customary to send their love tokens until the end of the present month. BOOK STORE & NEWS DEPOT

Feb 19 99 Thames St.

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations. In General Assembly, Jan. session A. D. 1848.

UPON the act incorporating the Town of Newport as City under the name of the City of Newport—Voted and Resolved That said act be continued to the next session of the General Assembly, and that in the mean time, notice of the pendency of said act be published in all the newspapers printed in the town of Newport for three successive weeks next after the rising of the General Assembly at the present session.

True copy—witness, HENRY BOWEN,

Feb 12—3w Secretary

Wrapping Paper

JUST received by

WM. C. COZZENS & CO.

China Tea Company Agency.

M. FREEBORN & CO.,
22, Broad-Street, Newport, R. I.,
AGENTS FOR THE

China Tea Company.

THIS Establishment, the oldest and most extensive concern in New England, was originated in 1812, for the purpose of supplying the citizens with Tea, of every grade and quality. It has very peculiar facilities and abundant resources, unattainable by any other house existing, whatever may be their pretensions.

The following catalogue of Teas, at retail prices, are warranted sound,—like remarkable for extreme fragrant aroma, and extraordinary strength of flavor:

BLACK TEAS. GREEN TEAS.

Souchong. pr lb. Young Hyson, pr lb.

Very good 80.33 Very fine sweet ear-

Extra fine 40. go 80.50

Pekoe do very rich 50. Strong 60.

Peachong. " " 75.

Good, full flavored 30. Silverleaf, rich flavor 90.

Very superior 75. Golden crop 1.25

Ningyong. 32. Good 32.

Very good 40. Very fine 40.

Very fine Hyson flavor 10. Excellent quality 90.

Oolong. Plantation growth 1.00

Imperial, 65.

Very fine and strong 75.

Orange Pekoe 1.00

Kuoke Yatchong 55. Hyson.

Flower Pekoe 75. Plantation growth 90.

English breakfast tea. Fine flavor, very

very fine 60. strong 90.

Houqua mixture 70. Finest description 1.00

For Sale.

THE new and pleasantly situated dwelling

house in John-street. For particulars, en-

quire of the subscriber.

jan26 BENJAMIN C. WEAVER.

To Let.

THE House near the head of Thames Street, for-

merly occupied by Mrs. Lovie; possession given immediately. The house is very pleasantly

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